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MP-1772

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Robert N. Hamlin
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BALLOON

Art Unit : 1772
Examiner : R. Dye

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Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

PETITION FOR THREE-MONTH EXTENSION OF TIME

Pursuant to 37 CFR §1.136, applicant hereby petitions that the period for response to the action dated February 13, 2001, be extended for three months to and including August 13, 2001.

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